"Green Hill" Frame Barn Virginia Road No. 728 Long Island Vicinity Campbell County Virginia HABS NO. VA-610

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"GREEN HILL" FRAME BARN

Address:

Virginia Road No. 728, Long Island Vicinity,

Campbell County, Virginia

Present Owner:

L. H. Holland and brothers

PART I. HISTORICAL INFORMATION

Physical History: "Green Hill" plantation was built by Samuel Pannill who first bought 600 acres from William and Moses Fuqua in 1797, and added to and developed the plantation til his death in 1864.

PART II. ARCHITECTURAL INFORMATION

A. General Statement

- 1. Architectural character: This is a simple, small, unpainted frame barn in original state of construction with only minor changes.
- 2. Condition of fabric: Interior structure is sound; exterior weatherboards are untreated and in fair to poor condition. Original roof covering replaced.
- B. Technical Description of Exterior
 - 1. Overall dimensions: Approximately 14' x 14', 1-1/2 stories.
 - 2. Foundations: Stone piers.
 - 3. Wall construction: Stud walls covered with square-edged boards butted against each other.
 - 4. Openings
 - a. Doorways and doors: One doorway located in east wall, center, first floor still contains original board and batten door and strap hinges with pintels. One door opening in second floor, east gable end, without door, used for access into attic storage loft space. Gin Pole above second floor opening for hoist or pulley.
 - b. Windows and shutters: None
 - 5. Roof
 - a. Shape, covering: Gable roof covered with modern sheet metal.

Eaves: Boxed eaves extend beyond walls about 10" and are covered with a beaded fascia and

- 10" and are covered with a beaded fascia and soffit board (now missing). Roof extends past gable ends about 10" with a verge board.
- C. Technical Description of Interior
 - 1. Floor plans: First floor divided into two rooms; 2nd floor is loft space.
 - 2. Hardware: Original strap hinges with pintels on exterior board and batten door.
 - 3. Lighting: None.
 - 4. Heating: None

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D. Site

- 1. The frame barn is located about 170 feet southwest of the main house. It faces east towards a north-south driveway, and is about 30 feet north of a similar log barn. Opposite the driveway is an old boxwood garden enclosed by stone walls, and to the rear of the barn is a corn field.
- 2. Enclosures: Stone fences abut the building on each side of structure.
- 3. Drives: The cobblestone drive about 25 feet east of building leading toward main house entrance.

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